Axecutive Aroclamation State of South Dakota

Office Of The Governor

WHEREAS, On August 20, 1982, President Reagan signed Congressional Resolution 516 proclaiming National Coin Week 1983; and,

WHEREAS, Coin Week will once again be jointly observed by the American Numismatic Association, the Canadian Numismatic Association and the Sociedad Numismatica de Mexico and the theme for Coin Week 1983 will be NUMISMATICS: Exploring Our Proud Heritage; and,

WHEREAS, Every coin, token or piece of paper money has a story to tell and an adventure to experience. For example, the Kennedy half dollar born of a national tragedy reminds us of the spirit of adventure he possessed when he said "The torch has been passed on to a new generation of Americans"; and,

WHEREAS, National Coin Week is a broad educational event whose purpose is to reach out to the general public to present the educational aspects, pleasures and benefits of the numismatic hobby--especially to those of the non-collecting public:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, WILLIAM J. JANKLOW, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim the week of April 17-23, 1983, as

COIN WEEK

in South Dakota, and I urge all citizens to acknowledge the above numismatic organizations for their contributions to keeping our heritage alive through the study of coins, and to celebrate this week with the proper ceremonies and activities.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Eighteenth Day of February, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Eighty-Three

WILLIAM J. JANKLOW, GOVERNOR

ATTEST: